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1154, 1156, 1158, 1160 MAIN STREET.

The Weather Continues

to remain warm, yet that does not interrupt the BARGAINS being offered every day in the week at our stores. You can look for some special drive any day in some department, of which we make no mention in our advertisement.

We have spent a busy week cleaning up every department of the closing season's goods. Now we are getting ready to fill their places with goods for the coming season. It will not be out of place to mention a few of the new arrivals. One lot of Gray Homespun Separate Skirts, latest cut, good quality, for **\$4.98** Worth all of \$8.00.

Dress Goods

in all the latest weaves—Plaid Reversible Cloth, Camel's Hair and plain effects, Crepons and many other of our own importation order given months ago, which enables us to offer the same at prices far below any competition.

FURS.

We have put in stock this day a full line of all the latest novelties in this line, which are on display in our spacious rooms. Call and see them and make early selection, for the qualities among the first arrivals exceed those of the later deliveries.

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STORE CLOSING AT 5 P. M., SATURDAYS EXCEPTED.

D. Gundling & Co.

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Catholic School

Cadets. {To the Scholars Old. }
{To the Scholars New. }

Have you ordered your new fall uniform? Do not delay, for you will surely be disappointed. A good many orders left with us will get their clothes on time, quite a few we have ready for delivery while others are coming in daily.

D. Gundling & Co.,

Star Clothiers and Furnishers,

34 and 36 Twelfth Street.

We are piling up daily new FALL CLOTHES Come in and have a look; the new fall styles are surprisingly pretty.

Geo. R. Taylor Co.

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Remnants.

A large lot of Remnants and short lengths of Black and Colored Dress Goods will be closed out this week at ONE-HALF AND LESS THAN ONE-HALF of the regular prices of these goods.

Quite a number of these pieces contain a quantity sufficient for making Dresses, Rainy Day Suits, Skirt Lengths, Misses' and Children's School Dresses, Odd Waists to wear in your winter wraps, Dressing Sacques and House Gowns. They are all wool or silk and wool; new and desirable materials, and are marked at prices to make them sell.

Ladies' Tailor-Made

SKIRTS.

A great reduction in the price of Ladies' Ready Made Skirts is also offered for this week.

\$4.50 Black Cheviot Skirts for.....\$2.75
\$7.00 Black Cheviot Skirts for.....\$3.00
\$7.50 Black Cheviot Skirts for.....\$4.50
\$8.00 Black Cheviot Skirts for.....\$5.50
\$12.50 Black Venetian Cloth Skirts for.....\$7.50
\$16.50 Black Zephyr Skirts for.....\$8.25

There are only a few of these Skirts left, and we advise an early inspection of same to secure a choice.

General reduction of prices in all departments this week.

GEO. R. TAYLOR COMPANY.

"THE POPULARITY OF

Apollinaris

("THE QUEEN OF TABLE WATERS")

is chiefly due to its irreproachable character."

The Times.

"DRINK NOTHING but Natural Mineral Water, such as Apollinaris, free from all vegetable poisons."

Boston Journal.

THE PEDAGOGUES.

Second Day's Sessions of the Teachers' Institute.

"THE DIGNITY OF EDUCATION"

The Topic of a Instructive and Entertaining Talk by Dr. Gilbert, of New Jersey—"Literature" the Subject Cared for by Dr. Moss—"Drawing in the Schools" the Subject Miss Chapman Elaborated on Very Interestingly—The Attendance Large.

Yesterday morning the Wheeling Teachers' Institute was called to order by Superintendent W. H. Anderson. "Coronation" was sung, after which the roll was called by the secretary, Miss Reppeto.

Miss Chapman was first on the programme. She gave a practical application of how to do the work spoken of the day before. She urged on each teacher to decorate at least one window during the coming year. The lesson was given on perspective drawing. Miss Chapman gave examples of work by drawing a chair and a table on the black board, at the same time answering any and all questions asked her. She then requested each teacher to draw the picture of a chair.

Superintendent Anderson, in a few remarks, stated that this institute will be to the teacher just what he or she makes it. It may be a prison house, but it ought to be entirely different. He then introduced Dr. Gilbert, of New Jersey.

Dr. Gilbert began his talk by congratulating the teachers on the fact that they are teachers. Teaching is the most honorable calling in the world. We rely more upon teachers and teaching than upon anything else. The time is past when any one can teach school. We are engaged in the great work of education. Teaching is not a job; it is a mission. Any who follows it as a job ought to get out of the profession. Education is that which makes us what we are. Unconscious influences educate fully as much conscious ones. No one can educate another. We can only assist the pupil to educate himself. Knowledge is a part of us. It is not the taking of food into the mouth that causes the growth of the body, but the digesting of it, the assimilation of it. So our knowledge is a part of the mind. It is what we assimilate that becomes knowledge, and does the mind good. Children can be made good if we furnish the proper food, the proper nourishment. Old ideas become the soil out of which grow new ideas. The whole organ world is but the product of the dead past. So we are the product of what has gone before as to civilization and everything that goes to make it. A school is the child educating himself by everything about it. It is the spiritual union of the teacher and the pupil. For economy's sake we bring many children up together, and we have our district school. We put children of the same age and attainments together and we have our graded school. Out of this comes our great school system. We cry out: "What a great system!" We make it our God, and fall down and worship it. We bring our children and sacrifice them to it. We allow it to become a machine. All the individuality of the child is squeezed out while in the school room. While out of the school he is a boy again. He can run and fight and swim. The out of school time saves the child. Still, the school is better than no school. The child was not born for solitude, hence the school has its advantages and disadvantages.

A recess of ten minutes was taken, after which "The West Virginia Hills" was sung. Dr. Moss spoke on the subject of "Literature." He said in part that if he were going over preparation for teaching again he would make a special preparation along the lines of literature and nature study. The time has come when the teaching of the branches should in some respect be made subsidiary to the teaching of the great thoughts found in the best works of literature. He first spoke of the literature of the Bible. In reading the Bible in school plan to interest the pupil. Treat them in this as in everything else—as you would be treated. As a sample of Bible reading he took up the story of Joseph, and showed how he would have it read. In connection with it should be taught all about the country in which it took place. A conception of the land of Canaan and Egypt must be formed in the mind of the pupil before the story can be properly taught. The story can then be properly taken up in detail, and day after day is unfolded with the greatest of interest.

The doctor gave a prepared outline of the story, and how it should be taught. This teaching should be done the first thing in the day.

Miss Chapman gave another lesson in drawing before the noon recess.

At 12:45 the institute was called to order again. The roll was called, and absentees noted. Prof. Gilbert talked the first half hour. He said there are two ways of living. First, for ourselves, and second, for others. This brings to notice psychology and sociology. Our school work is entirely too artificial. We have advanced knowledge far beyond a point to what it should be. There are two ways of keeping a child in school. First, by discipline; second, by showing him why he should go. There are two opposing

forces in all society, between the individual and the claims society has upon him. Freedom generally results in the breaking up of institutions. The autocrat says the individual must be trained for a certain place; the democratic state, in theory, at least, allows the individual freedom. But generally in asserting ourselves as freemen we make ourselves slaves to the very worst of tyranny. France is trying to be free, but everything in the conduct of her schools trains the children as the worst of serfs. Then, if we wish to train our boys for freedom, they should be free in school, or at least be trained to control their thoughts and actions.

Miss Chapman held the institute's attention during the last half hour. She said that she did not wish it understood from anything she had said that the teachers can get along as well without a supervisor as with one. She did not think so, but she wished all to get along as well as possible without one. Do not give up the drawing entirely just because there is no supervisor. Get along in spite of the fact that you are handicapped by not having one. She called especial attention in this lesson to the use of the brush and ink instead of the pencil.

The hour of 2:30 arriving, the institute was adjourned until this morning at 9 o'clock.

Lunch will be served to-day by the King's Daughters at the Y. M. C. A. lunch room for all who wish to partake of it, and no doubt nearly all will do so.

Quite a number of teachers are in attendance from other counties, Marshall, Tyler and Wood being represented.

Very few citizens have as yet been present. Dr. S. L. Jepson was present yesterday. Few of the teachers are not present. The attendance has been very good, with a few exceptions.

TWO HUNDRED PEOPLE

Will Find Employment in the New Department to be Added to the Laughlin Iron Works—Shovels to be Manufactured.

For some time there has been conjecture as to what the proposed improvements at the plant of the Laughlin Iron Works in Martin's Ferry meant. It now develops that the company proposes to enter into a new field, the manufacture of shovels, rakes, hoes, pitchforks and other small agricultural implements. A new building, 100x200 feet, will be erected north of the old mill plant. Work on the improvements will begin shortly.

In Clerk Robertson's Office.

Yesterday in Clerk Robertson's office the following deeds were recorded: Deed made July 22, 1899, by T. J. Ball and wife to J. H. Kileves, consideration \$900, transfers part of lot No. 1 in square No. 2, Glitchrist's addition. Emma J. Stephens qualified as guardian of Thomas A. Kyle, with Katherine M. Kyle as surety; bond \$400. Ed. C. Seabright qualified as executor of the C. W. Seabright estate, bond \$10,000, with Frank Gruse as surety. Louise H. Imhoff qualified as guardian of Irwin L. Gertrude A. Camden L. and Hulda Y. Imhoff; bond \$2,000, with C. E. Schencklein as surety.

A Wife Beater Caught.

Frank Zimmerman, a Martin's Ferry man wanted for a brutal assault on his wife, was arrested yesterday in this city by Lieutenant Michaels and taken before Squire Rogers, on the charge of being a fugitive from justice, a proceeding which frightened Zimmerman, who said he had remained away from Martin's Ferry because of a fear of being lynched. He consented to cross the river, and the charge in Squire Rogers' court was dropped. Zimmerman will now answer to the Martin's Ferry authorities.

A Short Wheat Crop.

Not much local wheat is being marketed in Wheeling, and Walter Marshall, the commission man, says that the crop in the tri-state radius will not aggregate more than 50 per cent of the average.

A New Flavor For the Coffee

ADD

Grape-Nuts

A Combination of Beverage With Food.

Coffee in itself contains no nourishment we all know, but when two teaspoons of Grape-Nuts food are added to a cup of coffee, a new flavor is found and the best of nourishing food obtained.

It is a novel experience in food and drink and worth trying. People who cannot digest coffee will find Postum Cereal Coffee, when properly boiled, a charming beverage with coffee taste and color, but with great food value, being in reality a food drink. Grape-Nuts stirred into hot Postum gives one an ideal combination.

Piano Sale.

In order to vacate the present store-room, Milligan, Wilkin & Co. are offering a fine, new upright piano, with all the modern improvements, mahogany case, stool and cover, tuned for one year and warranted for five years, for \$100.00. This is about one-half its value or regular price. Come quick if you want a bargain.

Remember the place—1136 Market street.

TURTLE SOUP made of turtle at Hoe & McKeever's new saloon, 1151 Market street, to-night.

Kraus Bros.

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That Boy of Yours

will need a new suit to go to school when it opens, so come in and let us show you our new Fall Line of Boys' and Children's Suits. It is by far the largest and prettiest line ever shown, and that means the best in the city.

OUR LINE OF SUITS AT \$2.50

for boys from 4 to 15 years, are by far the best values ever offered for the money in the city. They are all wool, fast color, guaranteed not to rip. Pants made with double seat and knee. If they fail to give satisfaction we will replace them with another suit.

CATHOLIC SCHOOL CADETS!

Remember our uniforms fit, wear and give better satisfaction than any in the city.

OUR PRICES { Knee Pants Suits.....\$6.50.
Long Pants Suits.....\$8.00.

KRAUS BROS.,

WHEELING'S FOREMOST CLOTHIERS,

Strictly One Price.

1319 Market Street.

BIGGER THAN EVER! BETTER THAN EVER!

DON'T FORGET TO ATTEND

The Great West Virginia Exposition and State Fair

AT WHEELING, W. VA.,

SEPTEMBER 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, 1899.

Merchants' Days, Sept. 6 and 7.

Twelve Trotting and Pacing Races.

Large and Unrivaled Stock Exhibit.

Art, Industrial and Mercantile Exhibition.

Bazaars, Booths, Bands, Entertainments.

Special Attractions, Bright and New.

COOK'S HIPPODROME AND WILD WEST, WITH SEVENTEEN GREAT ATTRACTIONS, CHARIOT RACING, ETC., ETC.

EXCURSIONS ON ALL RAILWAYS.

A. REYMAN, President.

GEO. HOOK, Secretary.

THE STATE FAIR

The Greatest Exhibition Ever Given Here Occurs Next Week—Entries Coming in at a Lively Rate—A Great Field of Entries for the Races.

FIVE DOLLARS IN GOLD and two season tickets to the Nineteenth Annual

W. VA. STATE FAIR,

good for Admission and Grand Stand on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, will be given by

THE INTELLIGENCER

to the person who first guesses the correct official attendance of Tuesday, Sept. 5. If the correct attendance is not guessed, the person giving the figures nearest correct wins.

Readers of the Intelligencer may guess early and often. Place your guesses in an envelope, addressed "Contest Editor," Intelligencer, and leave at counting rooms, or send by mail. Contest closes Tuesday, September 5, at noon.

Attendance, Tuesday, September 5,

will be.....

Name.....

Address.....

As the time grows nearer for the opening of the West Virginia Exposition and state fair, the indications become stronger that the big show will be the best by far of all its predecessors. Every mail brings in additional entries and of such a quality and class as have never been shown here upon any occasion. The time for receiving entries in the live stock departments will close September 1, and already the list of entries is larger than any year in the history of the association. The poultry entries do not close until Monday morning, nor do the fruits and vegetables, but there has also been received in these departments a larger list of entries than ever before.

The list of entries in the races is nearly ready for publication and will be printed in a day or two. It contains some of the fastest horses on the circuit and it is believed that the track will afford better amusement and a better quality of racing than ever before, which is saying a great deal.

The track, by the way, is in excellent shape, and has been worked down until it is as nearly perfect as it is possible to make it. The association will spare no expense to make the races one of the best features. This year the management has been doubly energetic in its desire to present to its patrons the finest half mile track in the country and that they have succeeded, is attested by every horseman who has seen the result of their labors.

Fine exhibits and good races make a fair and are what draw the out of town folks. But this year new and special features have been added that will attract strangers from far and near. Among these features is the famous Jay Cook's Hippodrome and Equine Paradox which has created such a profound sensation all over the east. This excellent combination gives hurdle races, chariot races, Roman standing races, cowboy races, etc., each day before and after each race. Besides this, a large stage has been erected in front of the grand stand, and on this a vaudeville performance will be given each afternoon and there will be exhibitions of knife throwing by the Choctaw chiefs, Two Sticks and White Cloud, and other acts and feats too numerous to mention.

MAGNIFICENT FIREWORKS

Will Form a Part of the Programme Hereon Merchants' Day Next Week.

The representatives of Detweiler & Street, of Brooklyn, who are to furnish the fireworks for Merchants' Days, will arrive to-day, bringing with them the fireworks and outfit ordered by the committee. Attractive posters have been distributed along the different railroad lines and the outlook for large crowds is fine. The programme arranged by the merchants' committee is a fine one and the two days, Wednesday and Thursday of next week, will be the most lively Wheeling has seen for a long time.

The fireworks display contracted for,

and which is to be given from barges anchored in the middle of the river in front of the public landing, will be undoubtedly the finest ever seen here. Handsome large set pieces, beautiful bombs ascending hundreds of feet in the air and exploding with thunderous noise and fine effect, form a part of the exhibition which is alone worth a day's travel to witness.

The railroads have all advertised very low rate excursions and owing to the state fair taking place during the same week, the tickets will be good returning until Sunday, September 9.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Going and Coming of Wheeling People and Visitors.

F. L. Blackmarr, of Sistersville, is at the Stamm.

Dr. J. D. Parr, of Huntington, was in the city last night.

J. R. Eakin was a New Martinsville man in town yesterday.

H. W. Graham, of New Cumberland, was in the city yesterday.

W. H. Nicholson, Jr., of Clarksburg, registered at the Howell yesterday.

Miss Leonora Dare and brother Clarence, of Wellsburg, are visiting friends on the island.

Mr. Charles Hoop has accepted a position with Thomas Hughes & Co.'s clothing house.

Miss Jessie W. Lane, of Barnesville, Ohio, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Jessie Wells, of the island.

Miss Anna Carman has returned to her home from a pleasant visit to relatives in the northwest.

J. F. Crossland and Mrs. J. F. Crossland, of St. Clairsville, registered at the Grand Central yesterday.

Misses Allie Rice and Sue Hawkins, of the island, have returned from a week's visit at West Alexander.

Mrs. John E. Schellhase and children returned yesterday from the Moundsville camp grounds after a stay of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin A. West, of the island, have returned from Cleveland, where they were the guests of Mr. West's parents.

Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Terrill have returned home, after a pleasant visit of several weeks to the fishing camp "Oun Camp," at Willow Springs.

Wharfmaster John W. Norrington is partially incapacitated by the fall of a heavy lump of ice on his right foot. The accident occurred at the wharf.

Messrs. George A. Kaiser and Charles Okel, of the South Side, who have been on a week's trip to Alexandria Bay and Buffalo, returned home yesterday.

Dr. J. M. Fawcett, the specialist, returned home on Monday, after a stay of five months visiting the hospitals in Venice, Paris and other European cities.

R. G. Hilles, of Alma; T. W. Hogan, Mannington; Rev. John Daly, Elkins; Miss Tiernan and McVeigh Belkner, Huntington, were Windsor guests yesterday.

E. J. Comerford, prescription clerk at Karl's, has resigned to accept a position on the road for Henry Thayer & Co., of Cambridgeport, Mass., wholesale druggists. Mr. Comerford's many friends will regret to learn that he is to leave Wheeling.

G. A. R. Encampment.

The J. W. Holiday Post and Woman's Relief Corps, Stephens Post and Woman's Relief Corps, and Baird's Woman's Relief Corps, are all going to Philadelphia over the Baltimore & Ohio, Sunday, September 3, at 10:50 a. m. Reduced rates open to everybody. Make your arrangements to go with them. If you cannot go Sunday, remember that tickets are on sale September 2, 3, 4 and 5. The Baltimore & Ohio route is particularly attractive, as it passes through so many historic points of interest. For tickets and full information, apply to

T. C. BURKE, Passenger and Ticket Agent, B. & O. Depot.

Fine Piano for Sale.

On Monday, August 28th, we shall offer Mr. F. J. Hearne's fine Kranich & Bach upright piano for sale. The piano has been left with us to dispose of as quickly as possible, and in order to sell it quickly we will sell it at a bargain.

For further particulars call at our store, 1310 Market street, where the piano can be seen.

F. W. BAUMER CO.

TURTLE SOUP made of turtle at Hoe & McKeever's new saloon, 1151 Market street, to-night.